## WORKERS COMPENSATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

## LABOR PROPOSALS

- 1. Raise indemnity levels for everyone on Permanent Total Disability up to current levels, with six year lag. Index annually going forward.
- 2. Raise burial expense to \$10,000.
- 3. Permanent Partial Disability: raise \$10 each year.
- 4. The employer/insurance carrier shall pay for the reasonable cost of the rehabilitative training program recommended by the DVR counselor, including the cost of tuition, fees and books, to the extent that these costs are not paid for by DVR. (This could be done by amending current 102.61(1) to read similarly to the current language in 102.61(1m)(c) regarding these expenses.)
- 5. Other proposals may be submitted.

## **DATA REQUESTS:**

- 1. Current cost of proposal #1.
- 2. Comparison of Wisconsin indemnity rates with other states.